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Local and General

The Alberta Gazette for May gives notice of the appointment of H. J. Raymer of Mirror, as a Justice of the Peace and Notary Public.

Mrs. J. F. Flewelling and Master Wm. H., arrived home from Edmonton on Saturday evening. Mr. Flewelling was a visitor to the city the same day, and accompanied them home.

O. C. Smith, of Calgary, and proprietor of the Jewel place, will move to B. C.

Frank Mitchell, of Alix, was elected D. D. G. M., of the A. F. & A. M. in the Province of Alberta.

Ed. Maurer was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday.

The old pool room in Lamerton, owned by Roger Pugh, is being torn down and moved away.

Don't forget the grand concert at Ellice school house, on Friday June 28th. Mirror talent will take part.

W. Wickett, travelling freight solicitor for the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, was in town on Tuesday.

G. A. and Mrs. Calvert, of

Port Arthur, Ont., have taken up their residence in town, awaiting the completion of the Imperial hotel, when Mr. Calvert, who has had considerable experience in the hotel business will take over the management.

A. M. Snowden, of Calgary, an inspector for the North British and Mercantile Insurance Co., paid Mirror a visit on Wednesday. H. J. Raymer is the Mirror agent.

Jno. and Mrs. Swartz and family, of Schenectady, N. Y., are new arrivals to our town and will become permanent residents.

Board of Trade meets next Tuesday evening at Flewelling's. Business of importance will come up for discussion, and a full attendance of members is requested.

A Masonic service will be conducted in Alix on Sunday afternoon at 2.30. Members of the Order from Mirror will attend in a body.

The Mirror baseball nine will go to Bashaw on Saturday afternoon to play a game of ball with the stalwarts from the "Windy City." Good luck to yez, me bucks!

A Thomas was a visitor in Lacombe on Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Jas. Steers has been suffering from an ulcerated tooth for the last few days, and was compelled to have it lanced on Tuesday.

W. Cook is busy this week "skinning the diamond" for the baseball club. When finished the boys will have an elegant ball field. It is located on the school block, No. 56.

Mrs. T. R. McCormack returned Wednesday morning after spending a week with parents at Ponoka.

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OPPORTUNITIES IN MIRROR

Article Written For "Opportunity," by Jewett E. Ricker, Jr., Gives Some Interesting Facts About Mirror, and makes Complimentary Reference to Citizens of the Town

After dealing with the rapid advancement made in Edmonton and the advisability of watching some of the towns in Western Canada, Mr. Rickett goes on to say:

"Mirror, Alberta, is one of these. Here is another strategic location—in the heart of one of the greatest agricultural sections of the world; equidistant from two of the largest shipping and purchasing centres in the Canadian West; a divisional point that will command the trade of one of the richest farm areas in the Dominion.

"No town in Western Canada is better or more beautifully situated than the little city on the shores of Buffalo Lake. But more important—Mirror is a commercial centre. Being the divisional point of the Calgary-Edmonton branch of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, Mirror, as soon as the road is completed to Calgary, will become the chief shipping point and trading centre for a vast agricultural area in Central Alberta. Moreover, the same railway will be extended eventually to the International boundary line, thus gaining access to the United States, while still other lines—uniting the principal cities and towns of Alberta—will radiate from the new town.

"And now let us go back to July, 1911. A year ago, while Mirror was but a name, even before the engineers had completed the survey of the town, a number of business enterprises were already established. Two of the leading banks of Canada, both of which maintain branches throughout the world, were early on the ground—the rivalry between the two for priority being so keen that the first of them undertook to transact its business in a temporary tent.

"To-day—less than a year later—Mirror presents an appearance of prosperity scarcely believable. By careful count I found the following businesses represented: Hotel, restaurants (2), lumber yards (3), general stores (2), hardware stores (2), millinery, printing office, real estate and insurance, banks (2), drug store, jeweler, butcher

shop, livery barns (2), implement agencies (2), pool rooms, (2), barber shops (2), wood working plant, blacksmith shop, bakery.

"But the real future of Mirror is best shown by the optimism and enthusiasm of its first citizens. In the time I was in Mirror I did my best to unearth any dissatisfaction that might have existed with business and living conditions. I received in return nothing but boasts. I doubt if there is another town on the American continent where everyone is so absolutely convinced of the future importance of their city.

"The Board of Trade is an example of this, forty-six business men of Mirror coming together twice a month to advance the interests of the town.

"An excellent opening also exists for a physician, the nearest one at present being located at Alix nine miles away. A dentist and a lawyer are also needed at once. A flour mill, prepared to compete with the bigger concerns, would find a tremendously profitable field in the country around. These are the immediate chances that are open in Mirror today.

"Then, too, there is another point in Mirror's favor. Unlike the other towns and cities of Western Canada, Mirror is situated on the largest and most picturesque lake in Alberta. Here will be constructed this summer one of the finest and coolest summer resorts in Canada. The hotel proper will be located on an elevation overlooking the Mirror Beach, one of the finest bathing beaches in the West. In addition to this, plans have been drawn for the construction of a large number of summer bungalows, some of which will be rented by the owners of the hotel and others, which will be constructed by private persons."

24 feet square on lot 6, block 90. The foundations for the Ruthven and McCormack houses are being put in, and the frame work will be started soon. Both houses will be of the bungalow style; Mr. Ruthven's will be a two-story affair, 30x36 feet, and will contain 8 rooms. Mr. McCormack's will be a storey and a half, 26x34 feet, and will also have 8 rooms. The buildings when completed will be quite an addition to the East end of the town.

A two-story building, 32x30 feet is being erected on Railway avenue by Mr. Adamson. When completed the building will be used as a store and rooming house.

Jno. Swartz has the contract for the above buildings and W. G. McCormack will superintend the work.

CHURCH BEE

A "Bee" will be held at St. Monica's church, on Saturday, the 15th next, for the purpose of erecting the fence around the churchyard and putting a sidewalk up to the church door, commencing at 10 a. m. The Rector and wardens will be very glad of help from any one who can get off for any part of the day.

The late Mr. Joe Edmondson's memorial stone will be set up at 4 p. m.

Mrs. Westhead will serve tea.

EARLY MORNING BLAZE

Mirror was again visited by the fire fiend on Wednesday when the residence of D. H. Grant, contractor, was destroyed about six o'clock in the morning. Mr. Grant and Joe Burnell are having it, and were getting their breakfast ready, the former going for a pail of water, and the latter coming down town on an errand. The stove used was one of the camping variety, and it became over-heated during the occupant's absence and ignited the walls. Mr. Grant was the first to arrive back on the scene, but it was impossible to enter the house, and when Mr. Burnell returned hardly a stick remained standing.

Both gentlemen lost all their clothing and personal effects.

and the loss to Mr. Grant will be a distressing one, as he had a number of accounts, etc., that will be difficult to replace.

The loss will amount to about \$700, which is partly covered by insurance.

Mr. Grant will immediately rebuild on the same lot.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT

D. M. Jewel, who lives about distance north of Mirror, is confined to his bed, suffering from injuries received from a grade stalling. It seems that Mr. Jewel was working around the horse, and the animal crushed him against the side of the stall with such force as to cause internal injuries. It was feared at first that several ribs were broken and a lung pierced, as the patient had great difficulty in breathing. We trust, however, that this supposition may prove incorrect, and that Mr. Jewel will soon be able to get about again.

The Customs Department at Ottawa will take steps to more strictly enforce the collections of duties on horses imported in Canada from the United States. Many complaints have been received as to smuggling and undervaluation of horses brought into the country, and orders will be issued with the object of preventing both these practices in the future. Most of the complaints have come from Western Canada.

(You may lead a horse to water but you cannot make him drink.)

FOR SALE

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| | |
|-------------------|----------|
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| Block | Lots | Block | Lots |
|-------|----------------|-------|--------------------|
| 11 | 14, 18 | 65 | 13, 17 |
| 18 | 40, 41 | 65 | 18, 22, 25 |
| 43 | 24 | 66 | 17 |
| 49 | 5, 6 | 66 | 18 |
| 49 | 29, 30, 33, 34 | 73 | 1, 2 |
| 50 | 1, 2 | 73 | 10 |
| 50 | 9, 18, 19, 20 | 73 | 13, 14, 17 |
| 57 | 9, 10 | 73 | 18 |
| 57 | 13, 17, 25, 26 | 74 | 3, 4, 18 |
| 57 | 18 | 74 | 14, 17, 21, 25, 26 |
| 58 | 17, 25, 26 | 81 | 1 |
| 58 | 18 | 81 | 19, 20 |
| 59 | 19 | 59 | 20 |

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MIRROR, ALTA., JUNE 13, 1912

MENACE OF THE FLY

The increase of interest in the house-fly nuisance is an encouraging sign of the times. Agitation and education by scientific men have finally stirred government and municipal authorities to action and campaigns against the great menace are under way. Circulars issued by health authorities show how the fly spreads disease through a community. They infect themselves in filth and substances and by carrying the germs on their legs and bodies they pollute food stuffs. Not a single fly is free from germs.

These circulars also point out the methods by which the insidious work can be circumvented. Such circulars are valuable, if they are heeded, but the careless public usually gives them little attention. It is satisfactory to know that popular indignation against flies is on the increase and that there is a determination to lessen the ravages caused by them.

It is a strange thing that the majority of people would be frightened out of their wits if they beheld a garter-snake in their homes, but they are totally indifferent to the ordinary fly. The latter is infinitely more destructive and dangerous, but his devilry is not understood.

The great friend of the fly is dirt, and the prevalence of dirt is the explanation of the easy and rapid progress which that insect makes in his nefarious career. Most people who would throw up their hands in horror at the idea of harboring filth within their homes have no objection to converting their back yards into breeding places of contagion. In other words, they are helping the flies.

DRY FARMING A SUCCESS

Success in Dry-Farming is not for the shiftless or indolent. All farming requires brains to make it profitable. It involves hard work and plenty of it. Dry farming is largely a matter of conserving the moisture from year to year. But this does not present insuperable difficulties. By proper management a tilled field can be made a reservoir through the accumulation of moisture beneath the surface.

The moisture which falls as rain or snow must be made to penetrate its surface, once imprisoned its escape by evaporation must be prevented. Tillage is the means by which both these objects may be attained—breaking up the soil in the first place by deep plowing in order that water may sink into it, and stirring the surface so that a mulch of loose powdered earth may keep the channels of evaporation closed.

According to a report submitted to the International Dry

Farming Congress, whose headquarters are at Lethbridge, Alberta, there are nearly 30,000,000 acres of land in the western United States now under cultivation by dry-farming methods. Colorado heads the list with over 8,000,000 acres and 13,000,000 acres devoted to crop production without irrigation. Kansas, Nebraska, the Dakotas, Montana and Texas have each more than 3,000,000 acres.

The report says further : "While the rainfall in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois, Missouri and Indiana is ordinarily sufficient to produce good crops one year with another, it is known, from personal experience and observation, that it is possible almost anywhere to increase the yield of crops by following dry-farming methods. A wide spread adoption of such methods would add millions of dollars to the income of farmers all through the country."

WATCH FOR THE PROVERBS

A drop of honey catches more flies than a hoghead of vinegar.

Better a foot slip than the tongue.

Confidence is the companion of success.

Delays increase desires, and sometimes extinguish them.

Every bird likes its own nest the best.

Feasting is the physician's harvest.

Give him but rope enough and he'll hang himself.

He that always complains is never pitted.

It is an ill guest that never drinks to his host.

Jests, like sweetmeats, have often sour sauce.

Little pigeons can carry great messages.

Many kiss the child for the nurse's sake.

No honest man ever repented of his honesty.

Out of debt, out of danger.

Riches serve a wise man, but command the fool.

Some are wise, and some are otherwise.

The abuse of riches is worse than the want of them.

Viruses all agree, but vices fight one another.

What cannot be cured must be endured.

SOME OF THE VIRTUES OF THE HOG

They multiply ten times as rapidly as horses, seven times as rapidly as cattle and five times as rapidly as sheep. They produce one pound of gain live weight on 25 per cent. less than cattle or sheep and in proportion to their live weight yield a 50 per cent heavier dressed carcass. Of a given weight of dressed pork and beef, there is 5 per cent more edible meat on the hog carcass, and one pound of pork will sustain more than labor 20 per cent. longer than will a like amount of beef or mutton.

There is no kind of meat that lends itself to curing purposes as well as pork. For this reason it is the staple meat on the farm. Every farmer should raise enough of pork to supply his family and most Alberta farmers will find a few hogs are handy things to have around when a note comes due. The dairy cow to meet running expenses and the hog to lift the mortgage is a combination hard to beat on any farm.

A reporter was interviewing Thomas A. Edison. "And you, sir," he said to the inventor, "made the first talking machine?" "No," Mr. Edison replied, "the first man was made long before my time—out of a rib."

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| | |
|---|--------|
| Ladies' Fancy Skirts, at..... | \$1.00 |
| Children's Rompers..... | .40c |
| Buster Brown Belts..... | .25c |
| Parasols for Children, pretty patterns..... | .25c |

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MEETING TO CONSIDER AID FOR NEW ROAD

A special meeting of the Mirror Board of Trade met on Wednesday evening at THE JOURNAL office, to confer with the delegation from the Ellice district regarding the opening of a road leading from that district to the Lamerton road. The committee consisted of Messrs. Forrester, Hopkins and Jesse, as spokesmen.

Mr. Jesse explained the situation very clearly and stated that the farmers, numbering about twenty-four were practically isolated from the rest of the world, as far as good roads were concerned. They had interviewed the Bashaw Board of Trade in regard to the same subject and had been promised aid by that body, they also wanted the co-operation and assistance of the Mirror Board of Trade. The proposition is to raise \$600 for the purpose of opening three miles of road running west of the Lamerton road. This would give the farmers in the Spring Creek Valley an excellent roadway to Mirror or Bashaw, and the condition of the market in either of these towns would be the deciding factor in securing the farmers trade. The farmers have already subscribed over \$300.

The proposition was favorably received by the Board and resolution to that effect was passed.

The establishing of good roads is one of the most important in any community, and the citizens of Mirror should give their hearty support to the project. The farmers in the Ellice district are among the best in the province and are now looking for an outlet to ship grain, stock, etc., and a road this will be possible at any time of the year will give them that opportunity. The expense attached to the opening up of the three miles is very small, compared to the benefits that will accrue to the farmers themselves and to the merchants and others doing business. The farmers need the market and the merchants want the farmers trade.

SOUTH BUFFALO LAKE NEWS

June 5th, 1912—C. H. Estell attended the stock sale at Lacombe last week.

Martin Sorum has purchased a new piano.

H. L. Staples and K. L. Halpenny of the Toronto Bank, Mirror, were making calls in this vicinity on Monday.

Frank Armitage was a Lamerton visitor Sunday.

Earl Estell, of Alix, is spending a few days at the farm.

Mrs. R. W. Barritt spent Friday at Lake View ranch.

The telephone men are very busy in our district just now. We hope to soon have the line in running order; then look out neighbors.

Ross Estell and Mrs. J. H. Sorum played for a dance at Nevis Wednesday evening.

The little daughter of Mr. Brown's was accidentally shot last Sunday, by her brother, who was in the act of cleaning an old gun. The patient is now doing well, but it was a very narrow escape. The child has only been out of the hospital a short time after undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

MIRROR MARKET REPORT

Potatoes, per bus..... 50
Butter, No. 1, per lb., 30 to 30
Eggs, per doz..... 22 to 22
Chicken (live) lb..... 10 to 12
Chicken (dressed) lb. 12 to 15
Grain prices received by the Canadian Bank of Commerce from W. S. McLaughlin Co., of Winnipeg, on Fort William.

HAIL INSURANCE

"No, I Don't Need It. Never Had Any Hail Loss In Our District."

Every season thousands of Western Canada Farmers say this and do not insure. Hundreds of them lose their Crops by Hail, and regret their dependance on what had been. Some districts undoubtedly, are less subject to Hail than others, but our experience with each succeeding season proves the fallacy of believing that any District is Hail-Proof.

The Value of
One Crop
Destroyed
Would Have
Paid Your
Hail
Insurance
Premium
For
Many Years

If your Crop is Insured, you have no need to worry, for in case of Loss, you have your Policy to fall back on. If you are hailed out you can easily Pay the small Premium.

Can You
Afford
To Leave
The Stable
Unlocked
Until
After the
Horse
Is Stolen
? ?

It is a Business Proposition. Think it over, and you will see that it is figured along strict business lines, and you cannot afford to be without the Protection.

We Have Been Very Careful In Selecting Our Companies

And believe we have something to offer our Patrons that will give every satisfaction. We are not allowed to write over \$15,000 in this District—first comes, first served. If you are in Town visit our office just back of the R. R. station, and talk it over. It will pay you; we are here with the kind you want.

Whitecotton & McCorkell

Mirror, Alta.

Real Estate

Hail, Fire and Life Insurance

Loans

ELICE DISTRICT EVENTS

The good old summertime is here again; also the mosquito.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Morin, a son. Another little farmer for our country.

Ellice District is wide awake just now in the interest of better roads. The proposition is to open up the town-line from Ellice, 3 miles east, tapping the Lamerton road 7 miles north of Mirror. After securing a promise from the Bashaw Board of Trade to aid this enterprise, the committee from Ellice met the Mirror Board of Trade at a special meeting on Wednesday evening to discuss the matter. The Mirror people have also signified their willingness to assist the Ellice farmers in opening this road at the earliest possible date, as it is a very important matter and will be of great benefit to us all.

Free and Easy social at Ellice school house, Friday evening, June 14th. Grand concert in the same building, Friday eve, June 28th.

Alfred Hopkins had a valuable horse injured by barbed wire on Sunday night.

Miss Ada Sargent has returned to Edmonton to continue her studies in stenography.

HOUSE TO RENT

5-Roomed House to Rent, three-quarters of a mile from G. T. P. station. 1-4 of an acre for garden. \$10 a month rent. Apply to 32-4f A. MATHER, ALIX P. O.

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Ask WATSON FOR ESTIMATES

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